

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA  
ABSTRACT

Procurement of maize under MSP by the Markfed during KMS 2014 -15 –Purchase of maize under relaxed specifications – Further Orders – Issued.

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CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (CS.I-CCS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 12

Dated 30-10-2014,  
Read the following:

1. GO.Ms.No. 8 CAF&CS(CS.I-CCS) Department, Dt.22-09-2014.
2. From the MD, Telangana Markfed, Rc No. P&M/03/KMS/maize/ MSP-2014-15, Dt.29-10-2014.

O R D E R:

In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Managing Director, Telangana State Markfed, Hyderabad has stated that during the procurement of maize, it was noticed difficult situations in the market yards and purchase centers regarding the size of grains. In some of the samples it is found that the size of the grains is very small with lot of shriveled and immature grains and also some damaged grains. The reason being that during the seed formation stage there were insufficient rains and near drought like conditions and the Public representatives and farmers have represented for relaxations in FAQ specifications.

2. In continuation of the orders issued vide ref 1<sup>st</sup> read above and in the circumstances reported by the MD, T.S Markfed vide reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Government after careful examination, hereby order to purchase maize under relaxed specifications for KMS 2014-15. Stock which is being purchased under FAQ will be treated as Grade-I, further two other grades are fixed as Grade-II and Grade- III maize by relaxing the FAQ specifications.

3. Grade-I rate stands as it is at Rs.1,310/- per quintal, Grade-II rate is fixed at **Rs.1,230/-** per quintal and for Grade-III rate fixed is Rs.**1,180/-** per quintal. A Statement indicating the details of specifications for Grade-I, Grade-II and Grade- III along with rates are indicated below.

Gradation of Maize for KMS 2014-15				
Parameters for Gradation				
Sl.No	Parameters	Grade Percentage		
		FAQ	II	III
1	Foreign Matter	1%	1%	1%
2	Other Food grains	2%	2%	2%
3	Damaged Grains	1.50%	2%	2.50%
4	Slightly damaged,discoloured & touched grains	4.50%	5%	5.50%
5	Shrivelled & Immature grains	3%	7%	10%
6	Weevilled grains	1%	1%	1%
7	Moisture content	14%	14%	14%
	Rates on basis of MSP	1310	1230	1180

4. The Government shall reimburse the losses incurred if any in the purchase of maize under MSP during KMS 2014-15 as per the above norms.

5. The Managing Director, Telangana State Markfed, Hyderabad shall take further action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA STATE)

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EX-OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Commissioner, Civil Supplies, Hyderabad.  
The MD, Telangana Markfed, Hyderabad.  
All the District Collectors of Telangana State for information and necessary follow up action.

(P.T.O.)

Copy to:

The Principal Secretary to Government Agriculture Cooperation and Marketing,  
Government of Telangana.

The Commissioner of Agriculture, Government of Telangana,

The Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies,

The Addl. Secretary to C.M., Telangana Secretariat.

The OSD to Hon'ble Minister for Marketing, Government of Telangana.

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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER